

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Notice # 17634-01 **26 March 2009** 

This notice is to inform the public that the S. C. Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC) is taking public comments on a Corrective Action Plan (CAP). This CAP addresses the cleanup of soil and groundwater contamination at the facility listed below. The contamination was caused by gasoline that was released from underground storage tank system at this facility. Based on current data, the release does not pose a threat to human health or the environment.

FACILITY: Circle K # 5391, 1380 Fording Island Road, Bluffton SC

APPLICANT: Conoco Phillips Company, 1344 Phillips Building – 420 South Keller Ave, Bartlesville, OK 74004

**SUMMARY OF CAP:** Petroleum and petroleum byproducts naturally break down over time through chemical, physical, and biological processes. These processes are called natural attenuation. Periodic monitoring will be conducted by **Conoco Phillips Company's** contractor, and/or DHEC to ensure that the contamination has decreased and remains below levels of concern.

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD DEADLINE**: The **deadline** for submitting written comments is **5 PM**, **17 April 2009**. Any interested person(s) may submit written comments concerning the cleanup to DHEC's Project Manager listed below. Please bring this notice to the attention of persons whom you know will be interested in this matter. Where there is a significant degree of public interest, DHEC will hold a public hearing.

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**CONTACT INFORMATION:** For additional information, please call the Project Manager listed above. To view a copy of the CAP, contact DHEC's Freedom of Information Office at 803-898-3882.

Section 280.67 of the S.C. Underground Storage Tank Control Regulations (R.61-92) requires that any CAP prepared to meet the requirements of 280.66 be placed on notice for public comment.